

State Of South Dakota
**EXECUTIVE
PROCLAMATION
FOR VALOR**

Office Of The Governor


WHEREAS, Scott Van Dyke, 13, of Detroit, Michigan, courageously, selflessly and unflinchingly came to the aid of Billy Schultz, 10, of Detroit, Michigan, when Billy was asphyxiating on gum lodged in his throat at a local playground and his life hung in a precarious balance; Scott through his quick thinking and prompt reactions is credited with preventing tragedy and saving Billy's life by applying the Heimlich Manuever auspiciously and effectively; thereby bringing honor and renown to himself, his family, friends and community by personifying and exemplifying the best of America's youth:

THEREFORE, It is both fitting and proper that I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby endorse, compliment and praise

SCOTT VAN DYKE

for his grit, fortitude and bravery in the face of a grave, life-threatening crisis.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-third Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-One


WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA - BUREAU OF ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF RECORDS MANAGEMENT - CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY
THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE MICROPHOTODUPLICATION IMAGE APPEARING ON THIS SLIDE OF MICROFILM IS AN ACCURATE REPRODUCTION OF THE ORIGINAL RECORD AND WAS MICROFILMED IN THE REGULAR COURSE OF BUSINESS ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF SOUTH DAKOTA COMPILLED LAW 1-23-4. IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED THAT THE PHOTOGRAPHIC PROCESS USED FOR MICROFILMING OF THE ABOVE RECORDS WAS IN A MANNER AND ON MICROFILM WHICH MET THE RECOMMENDED REQUIREMENTS OF THE NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS FOR PERMANENT MICROPHOTODUPLICATION REPRODUCTIONS. REDUCTION 25% ROLL NO. 3 DATE MICROFILMED 2-7-84 OPERATOR [Signature]